## **HOUSE RESOLUTION 158**

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kelly Miller, 2007 Salutatorian of East High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kelly Miller is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at East High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Miller has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kelly has earned an exemplary 4.69 grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the varsity basketball team, which she served as Co-Captain; National Honor Society, which she served as President; Technology Student Association; Art Club; and Mu Alpha Theta Club; and

WHEREAS, for her success both in the classroom and on the basketball court, Kelly Miller has received numerous awards and accolades, including the William H. Sweet Award, Academic Excellence Awards, and the Paul Robeson Award; she was further honored as a Wendy's Heisman finalist and as an Academic All-Star nominee; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Miller's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Vanderbilt University; and

WHEREAS, Kelly's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her father, Calvin Miller, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Miller's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007 East High School Salutatorian, Kelly Miller, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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